

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Palmer et al.

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For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS OF PERFORMING STATEFUL SIGNALING
TRANSACTIONS IN A DISTRIBUTED PROCESSING ENVIRONMENT

AMENDMENT A

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action dated October 2, 2007 for which a shortened statutory period for reply is extended up to and including February 2, 2008. Applicants hereby petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for a 1-month extension of time. Favorable consideration is respectfully requested in view of the following Amendments and Remarks.